

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1779

January 21, 2022

SUMMARY OF BILL: Eliminates the five-year statute of limitations for challenging a voluntary acknowledgement of paternity on the basis of fraud, duress, or mistake of fact.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Eliminating the five-year statute of limitations for challenging a voluntary acknowledgement of paternity on the basis of fraud, duress, or mistake of fact will have no effect on the policies or procedures of the Department of Human Services (DHS); therefore, any fiscal impact to DHS is estimated to be not significant.
- Based on information previously provided by the Administrative Office of the Courts, the proposed legislation will not result in a significant increase in caseloads for the state and local courts. Any increase in expenditures will be absorbed within existing judicial resources.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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